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Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Friday, January 6, 2023, at 1:05 p.m.

House of Representatives

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 2023

The House met at 8 p.m. and was called to order by the Clerk.

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

Build this House, O Lord, lest all who labor therein do so in vain. Watch over our gathering this evening, lest we stay awake without purpose. Provide wisdom, discernment, and forbearance, lest we eat the food of our anxious toil and exhaust ourselves for nothing.

For You have called us together from the far-reaching corners of this great Nation to uphold a vision founded on our belief in the fundamental rights endowed by You, O God, our creator. And You have appointed each person here to represent this country's rich diversity of thought and experience, race and creed, that collectively, we would serve as a city on a hill, a light to the world, revealing the strength and nobility to be found in our Union.

Remind us that we fulfill this divine mission only when we acknowledge that we are meant to function as one body. Nothing You ordain can be accomplished without the trust in and respect for each other. You have graced each of us differently, with passion and compassion, insight and oversight, voice and vote, that we would use these gifts to build up the larger body which is these United States.

Deliver us from intransigence and impudence, free us from fear and control, that in our deliberations this night, the light that shines from the dome above us would clearly reflect the commitment we each make to freedom, justice, and peace in our world.

In the name of our guardian, guide, and stay, we offer our prayer.
Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The CLERK. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House her approval thereof.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The CLERK. Representatives-elect are invited to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The CLERK led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. COLE. Madam Clerk, I move that the House do now adjourn until noon tomorrow.

The CLERK. The question is on the motion of the gentleman from Oklahoma.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. AGUILAR. Madam Clerk, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 216, nays 214, not voting 4, as follows:

[Roll No. 8]

YEAS—216

Aderholt
Alford
Allen

Amodei
Armstrong
Arrington

Babin
Bacon
Baird

Balderson
Banks
Barr
Bean (FL)
Bentz
Bergman
Bice
Bilirakis
Bishop (NC)
Bost
Brecheen
Buchanan
Buck
Bucshon
Burchett
Burgess
Burlison
Calvert
Cammack
Carey
Carl
Carter (GA)
Carter (TX)
Chavez-DeRemer
Ciscomani
Cline
Cloud
Clyde
Cole
Collins
Comer
Crawford
Crenshaw
Curtis
D'Esposito
Davidson
De La Cruz
DesJarlais
Diaz-Balart
Donalds
Duarte
Duncan
Dunn (FL)
Edwards
Ellzey
Emmer
Estes
Ezell
Fallon
Feenstra
Ferguson
Finstad
Fischbach

Fitzgerald
Fitzpatrick
Fleischmann
Flood
Flood
Flood
Franklin, C.
Scott
Fry
Fulcher
Gallagher
Garbarino
Garcia, Mike
Gimenez
Gonzales, Tony
Good (VA)
Gooden (TX)
Gosar
Granger
Graves (LA)
Graves (MO)
Green (TN)
Greene (GA)
Griffith
Grothman
Guest
Guthrie
Hageman
Harris
Harshbarger
Hern
Higgins (LA)
Hill
Hinson
Houchin
Hudson
Huizenga
Hunt
Issa
Jackson (TX)
James
Johnson (LA)
Johnson (OH)
Johnson (SD)
Jordan
Joyce (OH)
Joyce (PA)
Kean (NJ)
Kelly (MS)
Kelly (PA)
Kiggans (VA)
Kiley
Kim (CA)
Kustoff

LaHood
LaLota
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Latta
Langworthy
Lawler
Lee (FL)
Lesko
Letlow
Loudermilk
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Luna
Luttrell
Mace
Malliotakis
Mann
Mast
McCarthy
McCauley
McClain
McClintock
McCormick
McHenry
Meuser
Miller (IL)
Miller (OH)
Miller (WV)
Miller-Meeks
Mills
Molinaro
Moonen
Mooney
Moore (UT)
Moran
Murphy
Nehls
Newhouse
Norman
Nunn (IA)
Oberholte
Ogles
Owens
Palmer
Pence
Perry
Pfluger
Posey
Reschenthaler
Rodgers (WA)

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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Rogers (AL)	Smucker	Van Orden	DeLauro	Ivey	Menendez	Ruppersberger	Sorensen	Torres (NY)
Rogers (KY)	Spartz	Wagner	DeBene	Jackson (IL)	Meng	Ryan	Soto	Trahan
Rose	Staubert	Walberg	Deluzio	Jackson (NC)	Mfume	Salinas	Spanberger	Trone
Rosendale	Steel	Waltz	DeSaulnier	Jackson Lee	Moore (WI)	Sánchez	Stansbury	Underwood
Rouzer	Stefanik	Weber (TX)	Dingell	Jacobs	Morrelle	Sarbanes	Stanton	Vargas
Roy	Steil	Webster (FL)	Doggett	Jayapal	Moskowitz	Scanlon	Stevens	Vasquez
Rutherford	Steube	Wenstrup	Escobar	Jeffries	Moulton	Schakowsky	Strickland	Veasey
Salazar	Stewart	Westerman	Eshoo	Johnson (GA)	Mrvan	Schiff	Swalwell	Velázquez
Santos	Strong	Williams (NY)	Evans	Kamrager-Dove	Mullin	Schneider	Sykes	Wasserman
Scalise	Tenney	Williams (TX)	Fletcher	Kaptur	Nadler	Scalise	Takano	Wasserman
Schweikert	Thompson (PA)	Wilson (SC)	Foster	Keating	Napolitano	Schrier	Thanedar	Schultz
Scott, Austin	Tiffany	Wittman	Foushee	Kelly (IL)	Neal	Scott (VA)	Thompson (CA)	Waters
Self	Timmons	Womack	Frankel, Lois	Khanna	Neguse	Scott, David	Thompson (MS)	Watson Coleman
Sessions	Turner	Yakym	Frost	Kildee	Nickel	Sewell	Titus	Wexton
Smith (MO)	Valadao	Zinke	Gaetz	Kilmer	Norcross	Sherman	Tlaib	Wild
Smith (NE)	Van Drew		Galleo	Kim (NJ)	Ocasio-Cortez	Sherrill	Tokuda	Williams (GA)
Smith (NJ)	Van Duyne		Garamendi	Krishnamoorthi	Omar	Slotkin	Tonko	Wilson (FL)
			Garcia (IL)	Kuster	Pallone	Smith (WA)	Torres (CA)	
			Garcia (TX)	Landsman	Panetta			
			Garcia, Robert	Larsen (WA)	Pappas			
			Golden (ME)	Larson (CT)	Pascrell			
			Goldman (NY)	Lee (CA)	Payne			
			Gomez	Lee (NV)	Pelosi			
			Gonzalez,	Lee (PA)	Peltola			
			Vicente	Leger Fernandez	Perez			
			Gottheimer	Levin	Peters			
			Green (TX)	Lieu	Petersen			
			Grijalva	Lofgren	Phillips			
			Harder (CA)	Lynch	Pingree			
			Hayes	Magaziner	Pocan			
			Higgins (NY)	Manning	Porter			
			Himes	Matsui	Pressley			
			Horsford	McBath	Quigley			
			Houlahan	McCollum	Ramirez			
			Hoyer	McGarvey	Raskin			
			Hoyle (OR)	McGovern	Ross			
			Huffman	Meeks	Ruiz			

NAYS—214				NOT VOTING—4			
Adams	Brownley	Clarke (NY)					
Aguilar	Budzinski	Cleaver					
Allred	Bush	Clyburn					
Auchincloss	Caraveo	Cohen					
Balint	Carbajal	Connolly					
Barragán	Carson	Correa					
Beatty	Carter (LA)	Costa					
Bera	Cartwright	Courtney					
Beyer	Casar	Craig					
Biggs	Case	Crane					
Bishop (GA)	Casten	Crockett					
Blumenauer	Castor (FL)	Crow					
Blunt Rochester	Castro (TX)	Cuellar					
Boebert	Cherfilus-	Davids (KS)					
Bonamici	McCormick	Davis (IL)					
Bowman	Chu	Davis (NC)					
Boyle (PA)	Cicilline	Dean (PA)					
Brown	Clark (MA)	DeGette					

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Mr. GOSAR changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the motion to adjourn was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 25 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, January 5, 2023, at noon.

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session and stands adjourned until 1:05 p.m. on Friday, January 6, 2023.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: There were no Public Bills or Resolutions introduced in today's Record.

Additional Cosponsors:

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of today and appears on pages H17–18.

Adjournment: The House met at 8 p.m. and at 8:25 p.m., agreed to the Cole motion to adjourn by a yea-and-nay vote of 216 yeas to 214 nays, Roll No. 8.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 2023

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

1:05 p.m., Friday, January 6

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12 noon, Thursday, January 5

Senate Chamber

Program for Friday: Senate will meet in pro forma session.

House Chamber

Program for Thursday: Election of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.



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